PLAN NEW COMPENSATION LAW

COURT OF APPEALS DECISION NOT TO END FIGHT.

Two Mee tings Held Yesterday to Discu Situation New Law Will Be Drafted Soon-John Mitchell and August Belmont Talk of the Court's Ruling.

The Wain wright Commission, whose workmen's compulsory compensation act has been declared invalid by the Court of Appeals of this State, held a meeting yesterday at its headquarters on the vesterday at its headquarters of the Matropolitan Life. wentieth floor of the Metropolitan Life Building. After it was over it was announced that the meeting was a regular one and that no official statement would be made as to what course the commision will adopt now.

John Mitchell, who is a member of the commission, said that personally the decision of the Court of Appeals was a great disappointment to him, though the act had been regarded more or less in the light of a test. He could not say what he next step of the commission would be

"I suppose there is nothing to be done out to try again. We aimed at an equiable measure, which would be fair to employers and employees, by which workmen who were injured in the trades pecified would receive compensation through the automatic operation of the set instead of the tedious and uncertain alternative of a lawsuit, in which most of the compensation the workers might gain would be swallowed up in legal

There are workmen's compensation acts in England and in the European countries generally. This is the only important country that has not such a law. To my mind, the cost of protection to employers would be almost if not altogether as great as they would have to av for compensation."

One of the results of the invalidating of the Wainwright act by the Court of Appeals is to knock out a bill prepared e time ago by the legal committee of the National Civic Federation. This

of the National Civic Federation. This bill goes further than the Wainwright-Phillips act, on which it is based, in the provisions for compensation, which the court held to be invalid, and it would therefore be open to the same objections. This bill was to have been introduced at this session of the Legislature.

The legal committee which drafted the Civic Federation bill met yesterday at the Metropolitan Life Building to discuss the situation caused by the decision of the court on the Wainwright act. It was decided to call a meeting of the executive committee of the compensation department of the federation for Tuesday afternoon to take up the matter. day afternoon to take up the matter. August Belmont, chairman of this department, said after the meeting of

I have called a meeting of the execu-Wainwright compensation act. Progress on the entire subject had to wait for this

"A definite and workable compensation act is so widely desired by both employers and employees in this State that a solution will ultimately force itself upon its laws in some form. To have the

**Serious obstacle.

"The State commission's attitude will doubtless govern the course of the feder-

Former State Labor Commissioner

erested in the compensation movement n each State to determine whether or in each State to determine whether or not an experiment in compulsory compensation, as is recommended in the federation's bill should be tried in spite of the New York decision, or whether the compensation liability should be made elective as is provided in New Jersey and Wisconsin bills, or whether a constitutional amendment legalizing a compensation law should be advocated."

JOHN RILEY TRIES SUICIDE. Brooklyn Man, Once Wealthy, Attempts

to kill Himself in Police Station. John Riley, 37 years old, of 1726 Lexington avenue, Brooklyn, attempted suicide early vesterday morning by hanging himself with his necktie from the grating in a cell in the Flatbush police

grating in a cell in the Flatbush police station, where he had been locked up the previous night for entering the house of John Bannon at 1025 Flatbush avenue and carrying off art overcoat. He had almost succeeded in strangling himself when discovered, but at the Kings County Hospital, to which he was taken, it is said that he may recover.

Riley's father, who died about nine years ago, owned a chain of hotels in Brooklyn and left his son \$300,000. On the death of his mother the younger Riley inherited a like amount. He went into the real estate business, opening offices in the Temple Bar Building. He was negaged to be married to a young woman whom his father had selected as a companion for his daughter, but while he was in the hospital recovering from an attack of appendicitis she disappeared, taking with her more than \$8,000, which he had given her before he was taken to the hospital. He spent much time and money trying to trace the young woman, but was unsuccessful.

John Bannon, for the stealing of whose overcoat he was arrested, had been once employed as his father's coachman, and pe frequently befriended him when he became penniless.

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JAPANESE SEALER IN PORT. Makes First Stop at Santa Cruz to Take Water-Going to Alaska.

Agreement Reached as to Terms of Em-CINCINNATI, March 25.-The color line strike of firemen on the Cincinnati, New Crescent) was settled to-night at a conference here in the office of General Manager Horace Baker of the railroad between officials of the railroad and those of the railroad unions. The following agreement was formally signed: "Memorandum of agreement, March 25,

"(1) The pending strike to be decired "(2) The employees in the service of

the C. N. O. & T. Railway Company on March 9, 1911, who struck on that day to be reinstated within fifteen days under the provisions of the schedule of July 1, 1910, governing rates of pay and conditions of service, which schedule shall continue of service, which schedule shall continue in effect, with their former seniority standing and rights and without prejudice on the part of the company except that the company shall not be obliged to retain in service any fireman or other employee against whom charges shall be made within thirty days from the date hereof, and who shall be found upon investigation to have committed acts of violence or been guilty of misconduct during or in connection with the strike which would justify his discharge or suspension.

"(3) Negro firemen not to be employed on any part of company's line north of Oakdale, provided a sufficient number of

Oakdale, provided a sufficient number of competent white men can be secured.

"(4) On the district between Oakdale and Chattanoga, known as the third district, the percentage of colored firemen hereafter employed not to exceed the percentage in service on July 9, 1911, provided a sufficient number of competent white men can be secured.

"(5) Negro firemen on this district not to be assigned to more than one-half of the passenger runs nor to more than

of the passenger runs nor to more than one-half of the preferred freight runs, and in no case to be assigned to passenger or preferred freight runs unless entitled thereto by seniority and fitness for such "6. In case any question shall arise as to the meaning or application of this agreement which the parties cannot settle

agreement which the parties cannot settle among themselves either party may appeal to Judge Martin A. Knapp of Washington, and his decision shall be final and binding upon both parties.

"H. BAKEB, General Manager.

"H. O. TEAT,
Acting Vice-President B. L. F. & E.

"J. L. PAYNE, Chairman.

"G. A. ODENWALD, Vice-Chairman.

"J. I. FETTEEMAN,
Secretary Treasurer."

OSAGE INDIAN PACKS.

tive committee of the department for Tuesday, March 28, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. This acquisition comprises four sacred to consider the situation in view of the decision of the Court of Appeals on the

its laws in some form. To have the avenues through which it cannot be done promptly pointed out by our highest court is not to be construed as raising ously are they guarded from any profanadoubtless govern the course of the federation, but I cannot presume to suggest the possible attitude of our committee in advance of its meeting. The committee will then decide what action to take in reference to the bill which it is urging through the federation's State councils for uniform legislation on this chosen men of the tribe are allowed to of the office to which they are appointed

are kept in the bundles. These Osage packs differ greatly from Trecumseh Sherman, chairman of the ommittee which drafted the bill of the committee which drafted that the great any that have been found hitherto both as to the texture of the various wrappings purpose of the Civic Federation was to purpose of the Civic Federation was to promote compensation in some form throughout the country and to secure informity as far as possible. He added:

The recent decision of the Court of typeals in New York is conclusive that a swin the form of the bill sent out by the ederation would not be constitutional. for the National Museum by Francis La which they have assumed upon entering Flesche, an educated Omaha Indian who the service. ethnology. While at work in Oklahoma learned of the existence of such bunhere, and that decision may have great interest in other States. It is, however, not authoritative except in New York.

"Therefore it is a matter for those interested in the compensation movement."

with the Indian to whose care they had been entrusted. After exercising constates in the compensation movement.

with the Indian to whose care they had been entrusted. After exercising considerable diplomacy he succeeded in persuading the Indian to part with them and brought them to Washington and turned them over to the bureau of ethnology.

One of these was opened with much care by Dr. Walter Hough, one of the curators of the National Museum. Dr. Hough found the outside wrapping or sack to be made of a rare Indian fabric, woven of the silky brow hair of the buffalo. This was bound with a buckskin band decorated with human scalps and the leg of an eagle. Inside this was a buckskin bag, and inside that a haversack made of a material resembling Chinese matting.

ting.

In this haversack were a pipe decorated with scalps, a tobacco bag, a braided cord made of woollen fabric and a bundle of buffalo bladders bound with a thong ornamented with a scalp, and one other bundle, which was the most important of all, for it represented the "holy of holies."

This bundle was a buckskin case, to which was bound a buckskin object, resembling

E. T. BEDFORD LOSES ON APPEAL Brief Essay on the Comparative Value of s Second Hand Auto.

The Appellate Division of the Supreme SANTA CRUZ, Cal., March 25.—The seal-by Edward T. Bedford, the Standard Oil Santa Cruz, Cal., March 25.—The sealing schooner Chidori Maru from Tokio. fiving the Japanese flag, arrived here last night and all day to-day has been taking on water.

Capt. Minani and Navigator Ritchie, an Englishman, are in command with a crew of thirty-nine Japanese.

Curiosity was aroused to-day when the Japanese were seen high up on the masts taking observations of the country with field glasses.

The vessel left Japan on January 4. This is the first port touched. The officers say they have taken 142 seals on the way over. She is bound for the Alaska coast.

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Committee Formed to Help Nathani Nathaniel Hawthorne's daughter, Mother M. Alphonsa, who has for thirteen Orleans and Texas Pacific (Queen and years devoted her life to the care of incurable and destitute cancer patients on the East Side, and who, with the uncertain support gained from those who know of her work and through occasional appeals in the newspapers, has estab lished a home at Hawthorne, N. Y., and a house on Cherry street which is now overcrowded with patients, is to be aided in her work by a committee consisting of John D. Crimmins, J. Warren Greene, Edward J. McGuire and Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, who have undertaken to raise a fund for the purchase and construction

patients can be cared for under sanitay conditions. Contributions for this work may be sent to St. Rose's Free Home, 426 Cherry | Was \$4,644. street, and checks should be made payable to John D. Crimmins, who is treasurer to make large contributions and who would like to know the details of the plan will be visited by a member of the committee. The appeal for contributions has already brought in \$3.713.15, the sums contributed ranging from \$1 to \$1,000.

TO RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS. They Must Not Organize With the Object of Amilating With Labor Unions.

WASHINGTON, March 25.-Representaives of the American Federation of Labor have been doing "missionary work" for several months among the railway mail clerks of the country with a view to organizing them and bringing them into the federation. The labor union agitators have been extremely desirous of bringing the mail clerks into the organization fold, for through their grip on the mail service of the country they would be able to wield a powerful blow in any situation involving organized labor,

The Post Office Department, however, has served notice on the mail clerks that it will not tolerate any such affiliation. The Department has considered the matter carefully and some of the officials have expressed the opinion that the proposed affiliation would be illegal. These officials direct attention to the fact that one of the obligations imposed upon unions in the federation is to strike under certain circumstances, and this if done by the railway mail clerks in a body existing statutes in regard to interference

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should assume another oath with a secret organization in the service which may at as interfering with any right which a cleri While at work in Oklahoma may have of acting personally and individual

and that they shall be governed thereby.

AMENDED BILL IN EDDY SUIT.

George W. Glover Alleges That Mother's Will Contemplates Illegal Act.

CONCORD, N. H., March 25.—In the Superior Court for Merrimack county this afternoon an additional bill in equity was filed in behalf of George W. Glover in the suit involving the will of his mother, the late Rev. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of the Christian Science Church.

The assertion is made that the bequests in the will to the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston are illegal under the laws of both New Hampshire and

A further allegation is that Glover was A further allegation is that Glover was deceived when he entered into agreement not to contest the will of his mother, and that he would not and did not consent to a distribution of her estate not in accordance with law.

A third claim is that the deception of Mrs. Eddy and Glover was wilful and it is added that it was well known that Glover would never have signed an agreement binding him not to protest against an illegal disposition of the property of his mother.

NEGRO QUICKLY LYNCHED.

Mob Allowed Only Two Minutes for Prayer Refore Hanging.

BLUEFIFLD, W. Va., March 25.-Two hours after he shot and instantly killed ton Construction Company at Cedar

ten men did not even wait to bring him back to town, but getting a rope from the nearest farmhouse, swung him up Morgan had two minutes to say his

Pacific Mills Reduce Output Boston, March 25.—Next Monday the

FIREMEN'S STRIKE ENDED. | TO AID POOR WITH CANCER. | GOOD BOOST FOR ADELPHI

GIRLS TAKE A HAND IN MAK ING UP THE ENDOWMENT.

Meeting in Behalf of the College in Brooklyn Academy-Young Women in cholastic Tops Collect Piedges-Lit-

tleton Says Make It a University. A dozen Adelphi girls in caps and gowns marched up and down the aisles of the Brooklyn Academy of Music last night pledges of contributions toward an en dowment fund of \$300,000 which is needed to put the college squarely on its feet. They gathered in all about sixty of quarters where a larger number of of paper and delivered them to the Rev. S. Parkes Cadman, and there was a big cheer when the clergyman announced that the total of the amounts pledged

It was then announced that before meeting \$34,600 had been pledged by the trustees of the college, \$4,600 by friends," \$4,740 by alumnee and \$12,750

The class of '07 claimed the honor of pledging the first \$1,000. The Adelphi College Alumni Association brought up the second pledge of the same amount The Adelphi Chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta promised to give \$5 00, an anonyfriend of education subscribed \$1,000 and the other fifty-five subscriptions came in in amounts varying from

Martin W. Littleton, who made the chief speech of the evening, after commenting on the remarkable growth of Long Island. said that the time had come for the development of a Long Island university, of which he thought Adelphi College would make an admirable centre. There were in that college, the Polytechnic Institution, the Long Island College Hospital, the Brooklyn College of Pharmacy and the Brooklyn Law School, he said, about the same number of students and instructors

make up Columbia University.

He pointed out that the remarkable growth of Columbia since 1885 was due largely to the centralization of the government and the cooperation among its several departments, and he asserted that the same thing could be done in Brooklyn

the same thing could be done in Brooklyn if its citizens perceived the opportunity.

"In the city of Chicago," he continued, "there are 199 college students to every 100,000 of the population. In Philadelphia there are 249, in Manhattan and The Bronx 152 and in Boston 704. In Brooklyn"—here he paused for an instant and then went on in a lower tone—"there are but 18 college students to extern 100 000 of permiss college students to every 100,000 of popula-tion. What sort of a record is this for the most fearless and unfettered population in the country? Our Brooklyn boys and girls can't go to the colleges of Manhattan

boiling. Why should we go to Manhattan as supplicants? I am sure there is no more fruitful soil in the country for a university system than that found right here in the simple life of Brooklyn."

Dr. J. A. Hamphy said that Brooklyn teachers were not advanced to principalships as rapidly as those in Manhattan because Brooklyn lacked the proper facilities for advanced courses for teachers.

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Dr. W. L. Teller of the Girls High
School and Emma L. Johnston of the
Brooklyn Training School for Teacher
also spoke. Rev. John L. Carson, D. D., pre-

UNEXPECTED WILL. Widower Out of Prison Surprises Heirs of

His Wealthy Wife. SOMERVILLE, N. J., March 25.-William your own city, its licentiousness G. Lake, who in 1906 married the aged Ridge and in 1909 was sentenced to two years in the State prison for forging a deed for a valuable tract of land in Bernards township, turned up in the Somerset Orphans Court yesterday with a will that may in any possible way vindicate purporting to be the last made by his your excuse that you had not time either late wife. Relatives of the deceased woman were about to have probated a will which she made in 1905 just before

will which she inade in 1905 just before her marriage to Lake in which she left the bulk of her estate to her sister, Mrs. Lottie A. Van Fleet.

By the terms of the will filed by Lake, which bears the date of May 10, 1910, he is made the heir to the residue of his wife's estate. The beneficiaries of the will made by Mrs. Lake before her marriage to Lake will make a contest.

Massachusetts, and it is alleged that Mrs. Eddy made her will in ignorance of the fact that its provisions were contrary to law.

LETTER THREATENS JUDGE. Black Hand Writer Promises to Kill Landls of the U. S. Court.

he refused to discharge Gianni Alongi,

nours after he shot and instantly killed any fear for his personal safety, it is Grover Lambert, contractor for the Wal-known that Government secret services any tear for his personal safety, it is known that Government secret service agents have been trying to find the writer of the letter. Kinzie station receives the mail deposited in boxes in the North

\$35,000 Shy.

Comptroller Edwards of New Jersey Do-

ARRESTED ON U. S. SOIL. Conclusive Proofs Against Mexico in Case

of Young Juarez Captives. EL Paso, March 25.-There no longer exists any doubt that Converse and Blatt, he two young Americans who are prisoners in Juarez, were arrested by Mexican the asphalt pavements in the winter officials on Texas soil. County Surveyor Eubank completed a minute survey of the place to-day and he says the location is 200 feet north of the American bank of the river in Texas and between that The letter says: the river in Texas and between that point and the river are many large cottonwood trees, showing that the river has never been north of its present bed and that therefore there can be no dispute over the territory. Further, the bank on the Texas side is ten feet high, while only low brush grows on that side. The current is also working against the Texas bank, all of which proves that the river, if it has been changing course at all, has been working toward Texas and during the winter. As a matter of fact ou depriving Texas of territory, rather than depriving Texas of territory, rather than eroding the other way and leaving Mexican soil on the Texas side of the river.

PITTSBURG, March 25.—Copies have been received here of a letter written by C. H. Converse of Glendora, Cal., to Secretary of State Knox from El Paso under date of March 21, transmitting additional affidavits to prove that his son. Lawrence F. Converse, and Edwin M. Blatt of this city were kidnapped on American soil on February 20 last. Among the affidavits are those of W. W. Davis and E. T. Sparks, deputy sheriffs of El Paso E. T. Sparks, deputy sheriffs of El Paso county, who were employed by the boun-dary commission in 1907-08, one as rod-man and the other as an instrument man. man and the other as an instrument man. Both declare there was never any dispute about the midstream of the Rio Grands being the boundary, and they say that the scene of the kidnapping was 600 yards from the river shore on the American side. Sheriff Peyton J. Edwards of El Paso county, who for several years was mounted customs collector, avers that he exercised jurisdiction over the locality of seizure. Judge A. S. Elyer of the El Paso county courts makes affidavit ercised jurisdiction over the locality of seizure. Judge A. S. Elyer of the El Paso county courts makes affidavit that for fourteen years his court has had jurisdiction over the point. Mr. Converse says in his letter to Secretary Knox, after enumerating the new affidavits, that "Mexico has never exercised or claimed the right to exercise any kind

of jurisdiction over that point and any claim which Mexico may now make re-garding the boundary at that place is out a subterfuge WOMAN IMPRISONED IN MINE Niece of Former Secretary of State John

or claimed the right to exercise any kind

V. Foster Said to Be Victim of Hostilities EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 25 .- That Mrs John Connis Shepherd, formerly of this city, is imprisoned in a mine near Chihuahua, Mexico, is the report that reached

after four performances this week, sent a letter to-day to the Mayor in which he scored him unmercifully for his action and held Boston up as one of the wick-edest cities in the United States. Mr. Walter defends the play and says the Mayor has wronged him, Mr. Belasco, Miss Starr and others connected with its production.

"All this you have considered carefullyweighed the responsibility of your action because you are the last authority and the public censor of your city. Surely you could not have been hasty; surely you must have considered the sins of bauchery and concluded that this play and wealthy Widow Brown of Basking was much more vicious than all of the extravagant sins I am about to detail to you and therefore should first be sup-

"There is but one thing that I can write to see the play or to read it, but accepted the judgment of representatives whom you sent-stenographers-and that is that you must be enormously occupied in your task of governing a city which paradoxically divides the reputation of being the centre of culture and the centre of illiteracy and vice in the United States. "It is not for me, who am not a citizen of your city, to inquire why your Common has been turned from what your early citizens designated as a pasture for the grazing of cattle to a pasture for the exploitation of sexual perverts and soliciting prostitutes. Surely an echo of vice that reaches the very uttermost limits of Alaska and the furthermost corners of CHICAGO, March 25.—Judge Kenesaw southern California must sound in your M. Landis of the United States District own ears with an unmistakable reverberation; surelya Mayor who so jealously guards the morals of his city must know southern California must sound in your the dives, the unspeakable places that charged with writing similar letters to exist in that city. It is as futile for you to say that you are ignorant of this as it Carmina Marsala, 834 Gault Court.

The letter, which Judge Landis refused to make public, was mailed from the Kinzie station on March 22 and was delivered on March 23 just before he entered his court to charge the jury in Alongi's case. delivered on March 23 just before he entered his court to charge the jury in Alongi's case.

While Judge Landis does not entertain any fear for his personal safety, it is known that Government secret service agents have been trying to find the writer of the letter. Kingia station, received the social crime so rampant as in your own.

ton Construction Company at Cedar Bluffs, Va., this afternoon, John Henry Morgan, a negro, was swinging from the limb of an oak with his body riddled with bullets. He had been lynched by a posse that had run him down.

As soon as the news was abroad that Lambert had been shot by the negro, a posse was formed and was in pursuit of the slayer. After a chase of three miles the negro was captured. The posse of ten men did not even wait to bring him sass, 35,000 Shy. #35,000 Shy.

HACKENSACK, N. J., March 25.—Henry
C. Moore, whose father was a brewer in Philadelphia, was arrested in Rutherford to-night in contempt proceedings be-Morgan had two minutes to say his prayers, then at a signal from the leader of the posse he was jerked into the air and his body riddled with pistol shots. The claim against him is about \$35,000.

It is said that Moore, who is about 50 known to the authorities.

Lambert was killed when he attemped to overpower Morgan, who was wanted for drawing a pistol on H. F. Harmon.

Pacific Mills Reduce Output.

yesterday from Trieste, Patras and Palermo, brought a Greek steerage passen Confirmations by Bishop Lines.

Bishop Edwin S. Lines of the Episcopai dioese of Newark will to-day confirm two classes in Hoboken. He will visit St.

Paul's Church in the morning and Holy innocents Church in the evening. No Bishop has failed to visit Hoboken on the said that a caucus is likely to outline mid-Lenten Sunday in thirty-five years.

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Park Department Makes Them, but They Were Fallures in Mail Street.

Recent criticism of our asphalt streets and the assertion by some of the asphalt men that it is out of the question to repair

At this time when the papers are full of criticism and controversy concerning the condition of our asphalted streets I think it is my duty to inform you that now again, the second time during present winter, the Park Department fully repaired such important thorough-fares as it is responsible for, such as Co-lumbus Circle and Mail street. It seems to me the more important to call it has been frequently stated that repairs to asphalt street pavement cannot be made

records show that orders were issued by the Park Department on January 26, 1911, for the restoration of asphalt pavements in Columbus Circle and Mail street and that in Columbus Circle and Mail street and that Mrs. Steele, Miss Rebecca L. Hooper, Mrs. Nathaniel G. Pendleton, Judge and Mrs. Nathaniel G. Pendleton, Judge Walter Carroll Low. 450 square yards of repairs were completed.
Nevertheless between February 3 and
March 18 these same highways again so
rapidly deteriorated that they became
the subject of criticism, seeming to show
that either the material which was used in the laying of asphalt streets is of very inferior quality or else that asphalt pave-ments are utterly unable to endure the wear and tear of our automobile and truck

As for Fifth avenue, the section between department is responsible, has been in good condition throughout the year. All the holes in the asphalt block pavement of 110th street between Fifth and Seventh avenues have been repaired. In brief, all the streets for whose maintenance the Park Department is directly responsible have been repaired or will be completely so by the 28th inst., excepting those portions of the panies are responsible.

from the companies there responsible that they will begin repairs on these streets Monday morning. Very respectfully yours, JOHN B. STOVER, commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Man

GOV. DIX REVIEWS SQUADRON A. Afterward Held an Informal Reception in the Armory.

Gov. Dix reviewed Squadron A at its armory at Ninety-fourth street and Madison avenue last night. The Governor seemed to enjoy it, for he came early government within her own limits, just as

armory. The staff were the mounted uniform and of course the officers of squadron A left their mounts and accompaned the Governor on foot. The Governor walked with Major Bridgman, and Adjt. Gen. Verbeck was right behind, walking with Lieut. Whitney. The other members of the staff were Major O'Rourke, Major Snyder, Major Raynor, Capt. Falls, Capt. O'Ryan, Capt. Morris, Lieut. Currie and Lieut. Brown.

The drills that followed were equitation drill, drill by signal, mounted exercises, machine gun drill and tent drill.

NUDE MAN IN A WINDOW.

"James Smith," Sald to Be a Broker, Arrested After Detectives Watch.

Aman who gave the name of James

A man who gave the name of James Smith was taken to the Yorkville police court yesterday charged with violation of the section of the Penal Code relating to Adamlike poses in the public view. He had been arrested on a warrant obtained from Magistrate Herrman.

Detectives, before applying for the warrant on Friday, went to

warrant on Friday, went to a house on West Fifty-second street and asked permission to look from a rear window toward a rear window of 45 West Fifty-third street. The policemen watched for half an hour and what they saw induced them to get the warrant.

It was said that the prisoner was a office on Wall street. If the detectives knew his real name they did not disclose it in court. They smiled when he gave the name of James Smith and said he was a clerk. Some of the lawyers about the court said they knew the broker's name.

The prisoner waived examination and the Magistrate then held him for trial in \$500 ball, which was speedily furnished.

WINTER ASPHALT REPAIRS. JOHN BARRETT BACKS MEXICO

SAYS WELL DO VERY WRONG IF WE INTERFERE.

Not That He Blames the Government, No -But He'll Stand Up for Mexico or Any Other Section of Pan-America. He Tells Vermonters at Their Dinner.

John Barrett, former United States Minister to Siam, and at present the director-general of the Pan-American Union, cut away from the conventiona after dinner speech last night at the had things to say about Mexico. An outside nation has no more right to interere with the internal dissensions of: Mexico, he said, than it would have had to interfere with the United States at the

time of the civil war. There were plenty at the dinner to hear Mr. Barrett say this. Scattered around among the 200 present, of whom some were William B. Hurd, Walter Carroll Low, Charles F. Matthewson, Judge Jesse Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lyman Gov. Dix was to speak, but had failed to appear when the dinner was all over.

Mr. Barrett was the last speaker on the list. He cut right in to the Mexico situation.

viewpoint of the situation down there. he said. "Not many years ago it took a United States to subdue a rebellion within its limits. It took six years to subdue the Apaches, and yet the pests of the United States now want to step in and interfere with a sovereign nation that is having troubles within its own borders. Mexico has a right to settle its own difficulties, just as we had a right.

"All over South America there has gone up a remonstrance at the attitude of oppression taken by some of the people of the United States. I don't criticise the Government. I have supreme confidence in President Taft and the Cabinet. and I don't believe that a thought of war has entered their heads.

"And so as an officer of Mexico, as director-general of the Pan-American Union, I ask you to give Mexico time. South of us is a country of twenty to thirty million people just as patriotic as we are, who are working out their destinies,

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